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May 16, 2002

Ms. Linda Nachowicz  
Emergency Response, Section 3  
United States Environmental Protection Agency  
77 W. Jackson Boulevard  
Chicago, Illinois 60604-3501

Re: IWI  
Summit, IL

Dear Ms. Nachowicz

This correspondence is to document a request that the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's Des Plaines office made verbally over the phone. IEPA is requesting the USEPA's assistance in conducting a removal assessment at the IWI site in Summit, Illinois.

This is an abandoned, uncontrolled site that poses a threat to the environment and trespassers. A fire on Monday, May 13, 2002, which leaves drums exposed to the weather, underlines the urgency for quick action.

If you have any question, or if you need additional assistance, please call me at 217-524-1663.

Bruce Everetts

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